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**New Patent claims**

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1. Children's rocking toy in the form of a stylized horse, having a one-piece basic body (1) made of flexible synthetic material which has a simply curved rocking surface (2) forming the base of the rocking toy and a seat region (3) molded into it, the basic body (1) forming in its tipped over side position a reclining or sleeping base for a child, characterized in that the seat region (3) is molded a good distance into the basic body (1) and thereby forms a backrest region (8), in that the basic body (1) has, at its two longitudinal end regions, two curvatures (9, 10) in the form of a horse's head (4) and of a horse's rear part (5), respectively, with the height of both curvatures being greater than the depth of the molded-in seat region (3), as a result of which an additional support for a child sitting in the seat region (3) is formed, in that the cross section of the basic body (1) widens from its upper, narrow side, which forms the horse's head (4), seat region (3) and horse's rear part (5), towards the curved rocking surface (2) in a continuous and uniform contour of the side surfaces, and in that the rocking surface (2) has a non-slip backing (2a) made of leather or imitation leather.

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2. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 1, characterized in that the flexible synthetic material is of a Shore hardness sufficient for the basic body (1), on the one hand, to have sufficient stability when rocking and, on the other hand, can be deformed in a sufficiently

flexible manner so that it yields when a child is resting on one of its side surfaces.

3. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 1 or 2,  
5 characterized in that the flexible synthetic material is a foam.
4. Children's rocking toy according to one of Claims  
10 1 to 3, characterized in that the basic body (1) has a core whose material is harder than the flexible synthetic material surrounding it.
5. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 4 which  
15 refers back to Claim 3, characterized in that the core of the basic body consists of foams made of expanded polystyrene.
6. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 3,  
20 characterized in that the basic body (1) is manufactured, in particular cut, from a foam block.
7. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 1,  
25 characterized in that the basic body (1) is covered with a material covering.
8. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 1,  
30 characterized in that the seat region (3) has a leather layer as the saddle.
9. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 1,  
35 characterized in that the backing (2a) is connected to the basic body (1) by a touch-and-close or zip fastener or is buttoned to it (press-stud) or by a strap (or leather strap) with an overhang and eyelet for exchanging or for cleaning or washing purposes.

10. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 1,  
characterized in that the horse's head (4) has a  
mane (7) and ears (11) which are designed as  
grips, and the horse's rear part (5) has a tail  
(6).

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11. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 1,  
characterized in that the horse's rear part (5)  
has a tail (6) made from the material covering.

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12. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 10,  
characterized in that the tail (6) and the mane  
(7) of the horse's head (4) consist of real,  
artificial or stylized hairs.

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13. Children's rocking toy according to Claim 8,  
characterized in that the mane (7) of the horse's  
head (4) is designed as a pattern which is  
imprinted into the material covering.

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